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The Honorable Jocelyn G. Boyd
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RE: Assurance Wireless of South Carolina, LLC Annual Report
ELS File No. 2231-11716

Dear Jocelyn:

Enclosed please find a Telecommunications Company Annual Report for filing on behalf of Assurance Wireless of South Carolina, LLC ("Assurance Wireless").

Assurance Wireless makes this filing at the ORS' request, even though it is clearly not a "telephone utility" required to file this particular report. S.C. Code Ann. § 58-9-280. Thus, Assurance Wireless makes this filing under protest and specifically to avoid being the subject of a Show Cause proceeding.

Assurance Wireless considers **Schedule 7** to be commercially sensitive and proprietary business information that should be exempt from public disclosure, and requests that the Commission and the ORS treat this attachment as confidential, pursuant to S.C. Code Regs. 103-804(S)(2) and S.C. Code Ann. § 58-4-55(C).

Accordingly, Assurance Wireless has designated this schedule as confidential and is providing same in a sealed envelope per Commission Order No. 2005-226.

Assurance Wireless requests that the Commission and ORS maintain the confidentiality of this information, and accordingly not publish or otherwise disseminate Confidential Schedule 7 or the information contained therein to any person in any form. Should the Commission or ORS intend to provide this information to any other person, I would ask that you contact me in advance in order that Assurance Wireless be given the opportunity to seek and maintain the confidential nature of the information.

If you have any questions about this filing, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

s / John J. Pringle, Jr.
John J. Pringle, Jr.

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Enclosures (as stated)

cc: Dawn Hipp (via electronic mail service and hand-delivery of Schedule 7)
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